Pet First Aid

for dogs and cats





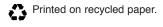
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Pet First Aid is the *immediate* and *temporary* care given to an injured animal until it can be taken to a professional veterinarian for more definite medical care and attention.

Topics Covered in this 4-hour course include:

- Finding the pulse and recognizing abnormal pulse rates
- · How to detect if the animal is dehydrated
- How to recognize an emergency
- How to approach a sick or injured dog or cat
- · Capturing and restraint techniques
- Rescue breathing (practiced on a dog or cat manikin)
- CPR for dogs and cats
- Choking emergenices
- Controlling bleeding
- Splinting a fracture
- Sudden Illnesses such as seizures, bloat and vomiting
- Poisoning
- Preparing your pet for a disaster

Hosted and Facilitated By Certified Arlington Animal Services Staff

Course Fee: \$35.00 per person

(includes 114-page Pet First Aid book)

Participants also receive a Red Cross course completion certificate

To register for the course, please contact
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